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PATENT APPLICATION

Applicants : Masood Garahi et al.  
Application No. : 09/827,568 Confirmation No. : 6408  
Filed : April 5, 2001  
For : SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CROSS-PLATFORM  
ACCESS TO A WAGERING INTERFACE  
Group Art Unit : 3713  
Examiner : Kim T. Nguyen

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

This is a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, of pending prior Application No. 09/827,568, (Confirmation No. 6408), filed on April 5, 2001 of Masood Garahi et al. for SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CROSS-PLATFORM ACCESS TO A WAGERING INTERFACE.

1. ☐ Please enter the Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in Application No. \_\_\_\_\_.
2. ☐ Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in Application No. \_\_\_\_\_.
3. ☐ A Petition for Withdrawal from Issue under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2) is enclosed.
4. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) is/are enclosed.
5. ☒ A Reply to Office Action is enclosed.
6. ☐ A suspension of action on the above-identified patent application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.
7. ☒ A check in the amount of \$770.00 in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is enclosed.
8. ☐ Please charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.
9. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) in connection with this Request, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.
10. ☒ Please grant a ☒ one-month, ☐ two-month, ☐ three-month, ☐ four-month, extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to the Final Office Action of February 24, 2004 in the above-identified patent application.
11. ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of the extension-of-time fee is enclosed.

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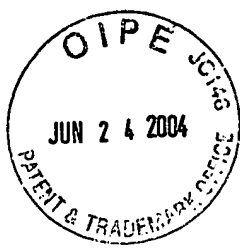
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12. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional extension-of-time fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with this paper, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed  
February 24, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent  
application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS begin on page 2 of this  
paper.

REMARKS begin on page 14 of this paper.

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